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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Discussion with [] Operational Services, DD/P, re Services of ADPD/OCS Performed for the Clandestine Services

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25X1A 1. [] contacted me by telephone on 24 February and stated he desired to discuss the forthcoming move of ADPD/OCS from South Building to the OCS Computer Center and to ascertain what effect this might have, from the points of security and efficiency, on the service performed by that unit for DD/P. His cover story, incidentally, when he first telephoned was that the Agency was being put to needless expense to move this unit from South Building to this Building. The cover lasted about thirty seconds at which time Tom admitted the aforementioned more serious considerations were on his mind. I agreed to meet with him at his convenience.

2. He subsequently established and cancelled three appointments and finally asked that [] come up and discuss the matter with me.

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25X1A 3. [] and I spent thirty minutes together on 6 March. He referred to a previous conversation with Colonel Giller upon the occasion of ADPD being joined with OCS. He said that subsequent to that meeting [] CI Staff, DD/P, and [] DD/P, conducted a survey of the manner in which DD/P work was done by ADPD. [] was not aware of either the content or the results of the survey.

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25X1A 4. With no specific concerns but only ill-defined apprehensions, [] mused as to what ramifications there might be security-wise to ADPD moving into the Computer Center and being "amalgamated with OCS." I recited for [] the conditions under which ADPD was moving to Langley and that relieved his mind of the "amalgamation" concern. I informed him that [] Staff D/FI, DD/P, had a most sensitive project being done in the Computer

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Center, that [] was an operationally security-minded officer of the DD/P, and to my certain knowledge was satisfied with the security given his work.

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5. I suggested to [] that at such time as ADPD moved into the OCS Computer Center that we would be pleased to have representatives of the CI Staff, DD/P, again review the situation so that they might reassure themselves that all necessary security safeguards for protecting their most sensitive documents.

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6. I have known [] a considerable period of time. He was factually ill-equipped to conduct the interview, obviously had no taste for it, and was genuinely pleased, I believe, that CI will be allowed to look at ADPD when in the Computer Center. As a final observation, it was made clear to [] that there had best be no endeavors by DD/P to make any allegations without factual support that this Directorate was neither prepared nor competent to offer necessary security safeguards for work performed on their behalf.

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